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The House met at 10 a.m. and was called to order by the Speaker pro tempore [Mr. INGLIS of South Carolina].

### DESIGNATION OF THE SPEAKER PRO TEMPORE

The SPEAKER pro tempore laid before the House the following communication from the Speaker:

WASHINGTON, DC,  
April 6, 1995.

I hereby designate the Honorable BOB INGLIS to act as Speaker pro tempore on this day.

NEWT GINGRICH,  
*Speaker of the House of Representatives.*

### PRAYER

The Reverend Tim Bunn, Karcher Church of the Nazarene, Nampa, ID, offered the following prayer:

Father, today we pause to recognize that You are sovereign and there is no other God before You. Lord, we pray that Your will may be done as Your Son requested it may " \* \* \* on earth as it is in heaven." We know that for His prayer to be answered requires our obedience and service to You.

Heavenly Father, I pray specifically for the representatives of the people of the United States of America. Lord, as they represent rich and poor, ghetto and mansion, farm and factory, may their actions be motivated by the desire to serve others.

Theirs, Lord, is a task greater than human wisdom can answer; therefore we call on You recognizing Your sufficiency when our resources are inadequate.

Father, we pray for peace and justice in our homes, our Nation, and our world. We invite You to use us to create it. We pray that You will heal our land where we are damaged and bless our lives with Your presence.

Father, we love You and praise You in the name of Your Son Jesus who suffered in our place. Amen.

### THE JOURNAL

The SPEAKER pro tempore. The Chair has examined the Journal of the last day's proceedings and announces to the House his approval thereof.

Pursuant to clause 1, rule I, the Journal stands approved.

### PLEDGE OF ALLEGIANCE

The SPEAKER pro tempore. The gentleman from Ohio [Mr. TRAFICANT] will lead the House of Representatives in the Pledge of Allegiance.

Mr. TRAFICANT led the Pledge of Allegiance as follows:

I pledge allegiance to the Flag of the United States of America, and to the Republic for which it stands, one nation under God, indivisible, with liberty and justice for all.

### MESSAGE FROM THE SENATE

A message from the Senate by Mr. Lundregan, one of its clerks, announced that the Senate agrees to the report of the committee of conference on the disagreeing votes of the two Houses on the amendment of the House to the bill (S. 244) "An act to further the goals of the Paperwork Reduction Act to have Federal agencies become more responsible and publicly accountable for reducing the burden of Federal paperwork on the public, and for other purposes."

### ANNOUNCEMENT BY THE SPEAKER PRO TEMPORE

The SPEAKER pro tempore. At this point, the Chair will entertain 20 1-minutes on both sides, starting with

the gentleman from Oregon [Mr. BUNN], the sponsor of the guest Chaplain.

### WELCOME TO THE REVEREND TIM BUNN

(Mr. BUNN of Oregon asked and was given permission to address the House for 1 minute.)

Mr. BUNN of Oregon. Mr. Speaker, I want to take this opportunity to welcome and thank my brother, Tim Bunn, who is a pastor from Karcher Church of the Nazarene, who offered our prayer this morning.

As we conclude our 100 days and look forward, we have and will continue to work on legislation that will strengthen families. We also want to encourage the volunteer spirit. We all know that it is not government that fosters or encourages the volunteer spirit or strengthens families, it is the individual.

And my brother Tim is an example of someone who has worked since college in missionary work. He has been a volunteer in disaster relief, and one of the most important things is working as a counselor trying to keep families together, which is really one of the crucial things we are all about.

I just wanted to take the opportunity to thank him for being with us today, to say I am proud he is my brother, and to welcome him to Congress.

### PATCH UP THE CONTRACT

(Mr. GUTIERREZ asked and was given permission to address the House for 1 minute.)

Mr. GUTIERREZ. Mr. Speaker, over the past 100 days, Mr. GINGRICH has had his fun taking out his hole puncher and putting a few holes in his copy of the Contract With America.

Well, I never saw what the big deal was.

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